



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 9093**  
Daisuke OOHIRA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2006\_0776A  
Serial No. 10/584,402 : Group Art Unit 4121  
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NITRILE COMPOUND AND  
ITS USE IN PEST CONTROL **Mail Stop: Amendment.**

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 25, 2009, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.